

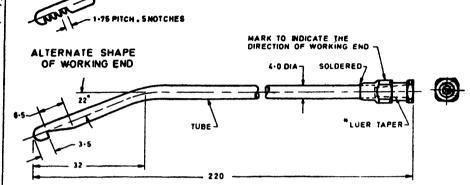
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Indian Standard

SPECIFICATION FOR CURETTE, ENDOMETRIAL BIOPSY, SUCTION TYPE

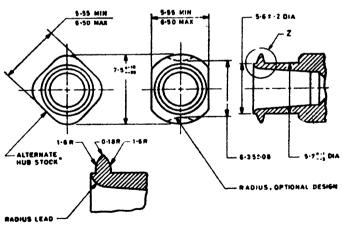
- 1. Scope Dimensional and other requirements for suction type endometrial biopsy curette.
- 2. Shape and Dimensions
- 2.1 The curette shall conform to Fig. 1.



*See IS: 3234-1965 'Specification for conical fitting for hypodermic syringes, needles and other medical equipment, Lucrtype'.

All dimensions in millimetres.
FIG. 1 CURETTE, ENDOMETRIAL BIOPSY, SUCTION TYPE

2.1.1 Luer lock hule shell conform to Fig. 2.



DETAIL AT Z

*Other shapes permitted.

If parts are to be plated, dimensions given are dimensions after plating.

All dimensions in millimetres.

FIG. 2 LUER LOCK HULE

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3. Măteriale

- 3.1 Cannuls Seamless drawn tube having 0.50 mm wall thickness, made of stainless steel conforming to Designation 04Cr19Ni9, 05Cr18Ni11Mo3 or 05Cr18Ni11Mo3Ti20 of Schedule V of IS:1570-1961 'Schedules for wrought steels for general engineering purposes'; or brass tube having 0.5 mm wall thickness, conforming to IS:407-1966 'Specification for brass tubes for general purposes (second revision)'.
- 3.2 Hub Free cutting brass rod or bar, conforming to IS:319-1968 'Specification for free-cutting brass rods and sections (second revision)'.
- 3.3 Stilette Hard-drawn brass wire or stainless steel wire.

4. Workmanship and Finish

- 4.1 The surfaces of the curette shall be free from pits, dents, burrs, scales and other defects.
- 4.2 Stilette, supplied one for each curette, shall be smooth, bright and free from kinks and shall slide smoothly into the cannula.
- 4.3 The notch(es) shall be well formed and sharp.
- 4.4 The closed tip of the working end shall be hemispherical.
- 4.5 The soldering shall be neat and sound.
- 4.6 The stainless steel cannula shall be passivated and polished bright.
- 4.7 The brass parts shall be plated chromium over nickel and the plating shall conform to Service Grade No. 2 of IS:4827-1968 'Specification for electroplated coatings of nickel and chromium on copper and copper alloys'.
- 5. Conical Fitting Luer type, in accordance with IS: 3234-1965 'Specification for conical fitting for hypodermic syringes, needles and other medical equipment, Luer type'.

6. Tests

- 6.1 Clamp the curette in a vice at the middle of the straight portion with its axis horizontal and working end'inclining upwards and in a vertical plane. Suspend a load of 20N (2 kgf approximately) gradually on the working end. On completion of the test the curette shall show no sign of damage.
- \$2. Corrosion Resistance Test (for Stainless Steel Only) Test the sample in accordance with 18: 7531-1975 'Method for boiling and autoclaving test for corrosion resistance of stainless steel aurgical instruments'. The sample shall show no sign of corrosion after the test."
- 7. Marking The curette shall be marked with the manufacturer's name initials or recognized trade-mark.
- 7.1 Certification Marking Details available with the Bureau of Indian Standards.
- 8. Packing The curettes shall be wrapped in moisture-proof paper or packed in polyethylene bags, avoiding contact with one another.